

THE RICHARD HILL CEMETERY

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The Hill Cemetery is located on the brow of a ridge between the Hills Creek Valley and the Bruffeys Creek Valley. The land is now (1988) owned by Leroy Rose, and before his ownership, it was known as the Ryder Place. The cemetery is about 200 yards east of the original home site of Richard Hill. Most of the hand-made grave markers are sandstone from the hillside west of the Emmanuel Church along the Bruffeys Creek. John Bruffey was the stone carver who did most of the work. He must have prepared several stones in advance as there are stones in the cemetery with decorative carvings but no names or dates on them. He died in 1874.



A stone indicates that Cornelius OHOVER was the first person buried there. Nothing is remembered about him other than he was an Irishman, and no dates appear on the stone. The oldest dated stone appears to be for Jesse Morrison died 1805, the son of James Morrison and Elizabeth Callison.

Richard Hill was first known to be in what is now Pocahontas County in 1786. The Greenbrier County Personal Property Tax 1787 List "B" indicates that he owned two horses. He was married by that time and probably owned land. He purchased land from William & Sarah Renick in 1792 (240 acres) and 1799 (350 acres).

- (3) A.J. ANDERSON Jan. 24, 1871 - Oct. 8, 1920
 "Gone but not forgotten"
 (Azila J. Sharp was the dau. of Peter & Mary A. Sharp,
 the Andersons lived on Hills Creek)
- (4) (double stone) Veda R. May 11, 1911 - July 5, 1913
- (5) Infant son born & died Sept. 5, 1902
 Children of C.M. & A.J. ANDERSON (two footstones A & VRA)
 (the two following were also children of C.M. & A.J. Anderson)
- (6) Valerie R. ANDERSON June 22, 1917 - Jan. 21, 1921 (burned to death)
 "Darling we miss thee"
- (7) Ronald E. ANDERSON Dec. 17, 1922 - July 21, 1924
 "Our Darling"
 (this row ends half way through the cemetery)

Row 13 (doesn't appear to be any graves for 30 feet from fence to first marker)

- (1) Ada G. (or C.) wife of Ellawood G. HILL Oct. 8, 1890 -
 Mar. 29, 1908 (died of TB, known as "Cliffy", dau. of Lewis
 Cary McMillion & Talitha Caroline Hill, Ellawood's second
 marriage was to Ruby Alderman)
- (2) Mary R. dau. of L.C. & T.C. MC MILLION Sept. 9, 1880 -
 Sept. 13, 1901, aged 21y, 4d, dau of the following couple)
 (the following is a double stone and the largest marker in
 the cemetery, being 5½ feet tall)
- (3) Lewis Cary MC MILLION Oct. 18, 1858 - May 14, 1918
 (lived up Hills Creek @ old McMillion place later bought
 by W.W. Kinnison)
- (4) His Wife Talitha Caroline MC MILLION Mar. 18, 1854 (other
 record 1852) - May 19, 1918 (dau. of Richard Hill & Rachel
 McMillion)
 (space for one grave)
- (5) In memoriam of Frank Howard, son of T.A. & Lucy H. BRUFFEY
 Mar. 14, 1898 - Mar. 22, 1899 (T.A. was Thomas, and Lucy
 was dau. of Daniel A. Peck, Tom & Lucy are buried in the
 Emmanuel Cemetery)
- (6) (double stone) Mary J. (Jane) wife of J.B. VAUGHN died
 Feb. 19, 1903 aged 71y, 4m, 9d (nee Anderson)
- (7) J.B. VAUGHN died Oct. 13, 1902 aged 82y, 7m, 14d
 (J. Burwell or Burnell Vaughn, son of John Vaughn & Rebecca
 Drake, born in Brunswick Co., VA, in Greenbrier Co. in 1860,
 came to Pocahontas in early 1900's)
- (7) Samuel W. HODGES age 21y, 4m, 12d, Killed in boiler explosion
 near Frankford, W.Va. (no dates are on the stone, the area
 where the sawmill was located was known as the "Oak Woodland",
 just beyond Savannah Lane going south on US Rt. 219, there
 were 7 or 8 killed in the explosion, one other one was Sam
 Lewisay, a traditional story tells that as Hodges was firing
 the boiler, he stated, "I'll make 'er pop off or blow 'er
 to hell."

- (8) Levina Thompson Anderson CLUTTER (26 May) 1857-(5 Dec.) 1941
(grave sunken in, she was the dau. of Morgan Anderson & Margaret Bruffey, she was the wife of Newton Shannon Clutter)
- (9) Newton Shannon CLUTTER 1856-1903
(he was the son of Isaac H. Clutter & "Frankie" Frances Blair)
- (10) creek rock, no identification
- (11) " " " "
- (12) " " " "
- (13) " " " " (grave sunken in)
- (14) " " " "
- (15)  decoratively carved rock, no identification
(brush pile on grave)
- (16) decoratively carved rock, no identification 
(appears to be indentations for the next four grave spaces and then none the rest of the way to the fence)

Row 2½ (this very short row is about midway from each end)


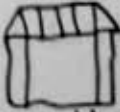
- (1) Martha F. SMITH 1849-1853 (dau. of David & Diannah Smith)
- (2) Alice E.J. SMITH 1855-58
- (3) David SMITH 1815-1866
(the above three markers are carved creek rocks)

Row 3 (about 14 feet from fence to first marker, the first four graves are children of Samuel C. Dean & Minnie Hayes)

- (1) Glen son of S.C. & M. DEAN July 12, 1910 - Jan. 1, 1911
- (2) Margaret Caroline dau. of S.C. & M. DEAN Aug. 26, 1908 - Dec. 8, 1909
- (3) Katie Irene dau. of S.C. & M. DEAN Mar. 5, 1901 - June 7, 1903
- (4) Henry Mason son of S.C. & M. DEAN July 27, 1899 - June 6, 1903
- (5) Doctor CASEBOLT Dec. 26, 1880 - June 26, 1882
(space for one grave, the first five markers are carved stones)
- (6) Elizabeth MORRISON 1820 - 1862 (nee Scott, wife of John Morrison)
(the next four graves are children of John & Elizabeth Morrison)
- (7) William R. MORRISON 1854 - 1862
- (8) Charles (W.) MORRISON 1852 - 1861
- (9) John V. MORRISON 1854 - 1867
- (10) Miriam MORRISON 1844 - 1856
(appears to be a sunken grave in this space)
- (11) Martha KELLISON June 8, 1807 - Sept. 4, 1873
(second wife of James Kellison)
- (12) Susannah B. wife of James KELLISON 1800- 1844
(there is a large grave cover stone)

- (13) James KELLISON'S infant, Died 1844 (child of James & Susannah B. Kellison, mother died the same year)
- (14) Cornelius OHOVER "First person buried here"
(space for one grave)
- (15) creek rock, no identification
- (16) " " " "
- (17) Madison WOODS' infant died April the 5, 1872
(Madison Woods married Virginia C. Morrison, dau. of David)
- (18) D. MORRISON'S Child died 1854 (David Morrison & Mary Dearing of Greenbrier Co.)
- (19) D. MORRISON'S Child died 1853 (same as above)
- (20) David MORRISON'S Infant died 1850 (same as above)
(there are probably graves for the next 15 feet)
- (21) creek rock, no identification

Row 4 (about 25 feet from fence to first marker)

- (1) Minnie wife of S.C. DEAN Nov. 11, 1876 - Aug. 30, 1935
"Rest Mother rest in quiet sleep
While friends in sorrow O're thee weep"
(Minnie Hayes was the first wife of Samuel C. Dean)
- (2) Wilbur Clinton son of S.C. & M. DEAN June 29, 1904 - Feb. 16, 1919 "Our darling one"
(at least one sunken grave in the next 30 feet space)
- (3) decoratively carved rock, no identification 
(space for one grave)
- (4) In memory of I.H. CLUTTER died Sept. 9, 1872 (should be 92) age 71 y (lived on Briar Knob head of Hills Creek)
"Be ye also ready for in such an hour as ye think not, the Son of Man cometh." Matt.
(the next two are matching carved creek stones and the parents of the children are Isaac H. Clutter & "Frankie" Frances Blair)
- (5) Manervie A. CLUTTER 1849 - 1858 (C.H. death rec. Minerva A. B. 6 Nov. 1849, D. 2 Feb. 1858 at Friars Holes)
- (6) John E. CLUTTER 1848 - 1853
- (7) creek rock, no identification
- (8) " " " "
- (9) Elizabeth MC COY 1831 - 1850 
- (10) two graves, creek stone at head of each
- (11) decoratively carved rock, front & back between the head stones
- (12) Jesse MORRISON died 1805 (son of James Morrison & Elizabeth Callison)

- (13) Isaac (these matching stones have no other information on them, last name, dates, etc. must be Morrisons)
 (14) William

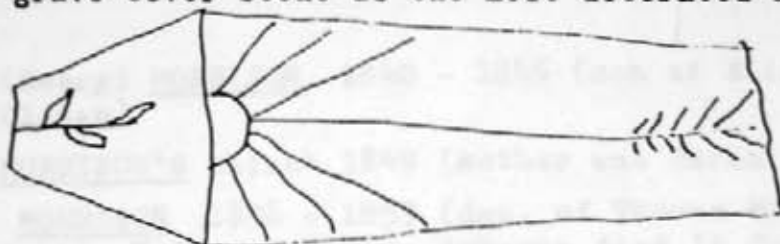
(15) Elizabeth MORRISON Aug. 27, 1778 - June 24, 1838
 A - 60 / C I V B To 13
 9 B / 4 G

(I interpret this to mean age - 60 y / children to 13

9 Boys / 4 Girls" this was the family number

Elizabeth Callison was the wife of James Morrison, they married 1796, the head stone is slightly slanted and sunken with the large grave cover stone touching the ground on the upper side)

- (16) Nancy HOGSETT 1793 - 1844 (this information is behind the head stone facing the grave under a very large grave cover stone, the foot stone at this grave has been switched from the above grave as it has writing "Elizabeth Morrison died 1838 aged 60y) (Nancy was the wife of John F. Hogsett) (this grave cover stone is the most decorated in the cemetery)



- (17) James MORRISON de^{cd} 1858 ag^d 96yrs
 (this information is on the outside of the foot stone, there is a large grave cover stone, James Morrison was a county pioneer who came here in 1784 from Winchester, VA, he was the husband of Elizabeth Callison)

(18) A. C. (on footstone, no other identification)

(20) David MORRISON Oct. 3, 1807 - Aug. 13, 1885
 (son of James Morrison & Elizabeth Callison and husband of Mary Dearing of Greenbrier County)

(21) James S. MORRISON B & D March 21st, 1877

(22) Madison WOODS Infant Died April 14, 1877
 (Madison Woods married Janet Catherine Morrison)

(probably the last grave in this row)

Row 5 (this row begins about the middle of the cemetery between 4 & 6)
 (The first two graves are about 75 feet from the fence and they are not in line with any row)

(1) Anne KIRBY June 4, 1794 - June 4, 1863 (carved creek stone)

(2) Elizabeth CROOKSHANKS 1789 - 1858 (Elizabeth Cruikshanks was the mother-in-law of George Chapman Hill)

(3) Robert SMITH'S infant B & D 1870 (child of Robert & Nancy C. Smith)

(4) creek rock, no identification

(space for one grave)

(5) creek rock, no identification



(large stone with carving on top)

- (6) Thomas G. (or C.) HILL died 1851 aged 17 years
(son of Abraham Hill & Sarah "Sallie" Burr)

(9 feet to next marked grave)

- (7) Abraham HILL'S infant died 1847

- (8) Richard HILL Jr.'s child De^{cd} 1847

(space for one grave)

- (9) Adam HILL an abortion 1821 (this would have had to be a child of a daughter of the pioneer Richard Hill, no grand daughters would have been old enough)

- (10) Tippet S. MORRISON Born 1839 Died 1841
(Tippet Snedegar Morrison was son of Thomas Morrison & Sarah Dearing)



- (11) Wm. H. (Henry) MORRISON 1840 - 1846 (son of Elisha Morrison & Sarah Oldham)

- (12) Elisha MORRISON'S infant 1849 (mother was Sarah Oldham)

- (13) Abbanna MORRISON 1856 - 1859 (dau. of Thomas Morrison & Sarah Ann Dearing, C.H. death rec. Arbanna died 14 Oct. 1859 age 3/1/23 at Friars Knob)

- (14) Thomas MORRISON 1806 - 1860 (C.H. death rec. B. 23 June 1806 Hills Valley, D. 18 Dec. 1860, crushed in his mill, son of James Morrison & Elizabeth Callison)

- (15) Sarah A. MORRISON Oct. 18, 1818 - May 30, 1895 (nee Dearing, wife of Thomas Morrison)

"She's gone to worlds above, Where souls and angels meet,
To reach our Savior's love and worship at his feet."

- (16) Sarah MORRISON April 10, 1810 - Jan. 8, 1875
age 64 yrs, 8 months, & 28 days, wife of Elisha Morrison
(nee Oldham, first wife of Elisha Morrison)

- (17) Elisha MORRISON died Jan. 17, 1860 aged 69 years
(the marble stone is broken in half, he was son of James Morrison and Elizabeth Callison)

- (18) Henry L. CASEBOLT May 9, 1819 - Jan 28, 1900

"In my father's house are many mansions"

(a large dead tree is over the grave, he lived on Hill's Creek)

- (19) In memory of Susan wife of H.L. CASEBOLT died 1887 aged 69yrs.
"At Rest"

- (20) decoratively carved rock, no identification

(appears to be two sunken graves and then 20 feet up to fence)

Row 6 (about 30 feet from fence to first marker)

- (1) A.D. Wallace HILL Sept. 24, 1849 - Sept. 10, 1932
"At Rest" (Abraham Doctor Wallace Hill was the son of George Chapman Hill & Rebecca Jane Cruikshanks)
- (2) Infant child of Mr. & Mrs. I.N. CLUTTER Sept. 14, 1907 - Sept. 14, 1907 "Gone to be an angel" (child of Isaac Newton Clutter & Page Hill)
- (3) stone, no identification
- (4) R.J. wife of G.C. HILL Apr. 8, 1826 - Nov. 24, 1899
"As a wife, devoted; As a mother, affectionate;
As a friend, ever kind and true"
(Rebecca Jane Cruikshanks was the second wife of George Chapman Hill)

(at least 3 sunken graves in the next 15 feet)

(the next four are children of George Chapman Hill & Rebecca Jane Cruikshanks, 3 children died of diphtheria within a week of each other)
- (5) Ruann E. HILL 1859 - 1862
- (6) Granville G. HILL 1857 - 1862
- (7) Aretta G. (or L.) A. HILL 1855 - 1869
- (8) Lorenzo D. N. HILL 1855 - 1862
- (9) William EDMINSON died 1848 aged 72y (was the first father-in-law of George Chapman Hill)
- (10) Rebecca M. HILL 1847 - 1848 (Rebecca Martha Hill was a dau. of George Chapman Hill & Martha Edmiston)
- (11) Rebecca EDMINSON died 1848 aged 75y (nee Walkup, wife of the above Edmiston, first mother-in-law of George Chapman Hill)
- (12) George C. HILL June 3, 1811 - Jan. 23, 1888 (George Chapman Hill was son of Richard Hill & Nancy McNeel)
- (13) Martha (first) wife of George HILL (June 3) 1811 - (Apr. 4) 1847 (dau. of William Edmiston & Rebecca Walkup)
- (14) Geo HILL'S infant de^{cd} 1846 (child of George Chapman Hill & Martha Edmiston)
- (15) Isaac HILL (July 23) 1802 - (Nov. 30) 1842
(son of Richard Hill & Nancy McNeel)
- (16) In Memory of Richard HILL S^{nr} who died 1849 age 85 years
metal marker reads "Revolutionary Soldier Richard Hill
1763 - 1849 placed by Wilson Cary Nicholas Chapter DAR"
(there is a large grave cover stone)
- (17) Memorial of Nancy HILL Born Died (no dates on stone)
(Born; June 21, 1769 Maryland - Died; Dec. 10, 1861, dau. of John McNeel & Martha Davis)
- (18) Rachel B. MORRISON 1859 - 1861

(the following is a double stone)

- (19) Sarah wife of A. HILL Jan. 25, 1801 - Sept. 25, 1862
(Sarah "Sallie" Burr, dau. of Aaron Burr & Rebecca Collins)
- (20) Abraham HILL Dec. 3, 1799 - Jan. 7, 1871
(son of Richard Hill & Nancy McNeel)
- (21) Richard HILL Dec. 21, 1824 - May 8, 1876 aged 51y, 5m, 21d
(son of Abraham Hill & Sarah "Sallie" Burr)
- (22) Rachel HILL Dec. 16, 1822 - May 12, 1876 aged 54y, 8m, 6d
(that age is not correct, another record of death is May 5,
nee McMillion, wife of the above Richard Hill)
(space for two graves, and another is marked with creek stone)
- (23) Lucy A. HILL 1880 - 1896 (Lucy Agnes Hill, dau. of John
Wesley Hill & Elizabeth Sarah Bruffey)
- (24) Mary M. (2nd) wife of Joel O. HILL died Apr. 1, 1903
aged 54y, 1m, 24d (Mary Melonia McMillion, dau. of Andrew
McMillion & Jane McClung)
- (25) Clarence D. son of J.O. & M.M. HILL June 28, 1889 -
Sept. 8, 1911 "Earth has no sorrow that heaven can not heal"
(Clarence Dixon Hill, son of Joel Osborne Hill & Mary Melonia
McMillion)
(may be some graves in the next 20 feet)
- (26) G. Forest HILL Aug. 9, 1883 - June 30, 1934 (son of Joel
Robinson Hill & Lydia Margaret Morrison, husband of Mary Hallie
Morrison who is buried at Emmanuel Cemetery on Bruffeys Creek)

Row 2 (about 20 feet from fence to first marker)

- (1) Son of Mr. & Mrs. V.M. CLUTTER 1936 - 1936 (funeral home marker,
son of Vinton M. Clutter & Nila Bruffey)
- (2) (double stone) William A. (Allen) BRUFFEY 1852 - 1934
(son of Murray James Bruffey & Elizabeth Craig)
- (3) Martha J. BRUFFEY 1855 - 1927 (Martha Jane Corron from Hookersville
(space for one grave)
- (4) Elizabeth J. (Jane) dau. of W.A. & M.J. BRUFFEY Dec. 18, 1878 -
May 1, 1895, aged 16y, 4m, 13d
"Dearest sister thou hast left us, Left a world of pain and care
Gone to heaven to be an angel, And a crown of glory wear"
(dau. of William Allen Bruffey & Martha Jane Corron)
- (5) (double stone) Mother Sallie ANDERSON Mar. 3, 1861 - May 22, 1927
(Sarah "Sallie" Emiline McCoy, dau. of William "Bill" McCoy &
Margaret Morrison)
- (6) Father M.D. ANDERSON Oct. 9, 1859 - Mar. 4, 1900
"At His feet - I'll lay every burden down"
(Millard Dickson "Richard" Anderson, son of Morgan Anderson &
Margaret Bruffey)
(space for one grave where a dead tree stands)

(7) stone, no identification

(8) Margaret wife of Morgan ANDERSON Born ^m 21, 1819 - Died ^m 2, 1878 (she was born and died in the month of March, the carver may have forgotten the month of May, she was the dau. of John Bruffey & Elizabeth Hill)

(9) Elizabeth BRUFFEY 1791 (Sept. 7, 1790) - 1880
(dau. of Richard Hill & Nancy McNeel, wife of John Bruffey)

(10) John Bruffey Died 1874 Age unknown
(Born 1789, Maryland, census records, son of John Bruffey I & Eleanor "Nellie" McDonald)

(11) William B. MC CLUER Born 1824 - Died 1854 (husband of Julia Bruffey)

(12) Julia MC CLUER 1821 - 1851 (Grave cover stone, dau. of John Bruffey & Elizabeth Hill, wife of Wm. B. McClure)

(13) William MC CLUER'S infant died 1849 (small grave cover stone)

(14) Mary F. BRUFFEY Born & died 1851 (small grave cover stone, probably child of Murray James Bruffey & Elizabeth Craig)

Row 8 (this row starts in the middle of the cemetery and swings north)

(1) John S. WHITING Died 1854 age 9m (son of Ebenezer Whiting & Sally McMillion)

(space for one grave)

(2) Levi J. BRUFFEY 1857 - 1873 (Joseph Levi Bruffey, son of Murray James Bruffey & Elizabeth Craig, this grave is in front of and near the above Mary F. Bruffey)

(3) John R. BRUFFEY 1849 - 1879 (John Robert Bruffey, son of Murray James Bruffey & Elizabeth Craig, husband of Margaret McMillion)

(4) Joseph ANDERSON June 22, 1797 - Aug. 24, 1868 (father of Morgan Anderson)

(5) Jane ANDERSON April 6, 1802 - Oct. 5, 1886 (Nancy "Jennie" Jane Donally, wife of Joseph Anderson)

(6) Leanna HILL Born & Died 1880 (dau. of John Wesley Lee Hill & Elizabeth Sarah Bruffey, twin of Joanna A.)

(7) E.S. HILL'S son died 1888 (C.H. death rec. Grover Hill, born Sept. 4, 1887, died 2 Feb. 1888, son of John Wesley Lee Hill & Elizabeth Sarah Bruffey, I don't know why the marker has the mother's initials as the father did not die until the following year)

(8) J. Wesley HILL Oct. 7, 1848 - Feb. 6, 1889 (John Wesley Lee Hill, son of Richard Hill & Rachel McMillion, husband of Elizabeth Sarah Bruffey)

(9) Elizabeth S. wife of J.W. HILL Oct. 7, 1856 - Dec. 8, 1908
"Rest Mother rest, in quiet sleep,
While friends in sorrow, o're thee weep"
(Elizabeth Sarah Bruffey, dau. of Murray James Bruffey & Elizabeth Craig, wife of John Wesley Lee Hill)

- (10) Rachel A. HILL wife of W.B. Hill died 1881 (Rachel A. Brock, born 1856, dau. of Joseph and Cynthia J. Brock, husband was William Bryson Hill)
- (11) W. B. HILL'S son died 1888 (son of William Bryson Hill & Susan Alice Snedegar)
- (12) A. HILL wife of W.B. Hill 1861 - 1895 (Susan Alice Snedegar, dau. of James C. Snedegar, second wife of William Bryson Hill)
- (13) Mother Lydia M. wife of Joel R. HILL Oct. 17, 1852 - Jan. 29, 1920 (Lydia Margaret Morrison, dau. of Thomas Morrison & Sarah A. Dearing)
- (14) Father Joel R. (Robinson) HILL Jan. 8, 1852 - June 17, 1924 (son of George Chapman Hill & Martha Edmiston)
(the following five graves are children of Leonadis Thomas Hill & Plummie Ora McCarty) (the first 4 are matching stones)
- (15) Ross Thomas HILL Mar. 19, 1926 - Mar. 23, 1926
"Gone to be an angel"
- (16) Dale Kenton HILL Mar. 9, 1927 - Apr. 11, 1927
"Gone to be an angel"
- (17) George William HILL May 25, 1928 - May 25, 1928
"Gone to be an angel"
- (18) Leslie Leo HILL Mar. 5, 1932 - Mar. 22, 1932
- (19) Merritt Brook HILL Oct. 16, 1915 - May 28, 1938
"Gone but not forgotten" (this grave is the farthest up the hill)

Row 9 (this row starts about 20 feet from the fence but looks as if there might be graves in this space)

- (1) Harper ANDERSON (Apr. 19) 1886 - 1954 (son of Richard Anderson & Sarah "Sallie" Emiline McCoy, husband of Anna Georgia Scott who is buried at Emmanuel Cemetery on Bruffeys Creek)
- (2) Son of H.M. & G.A. ANDERSON Dec. 21, 1916 - Oct. 1, 1940 (Paulven Neal Anderson was the son of Harper Milton & Georgia Anna Scott Anderson, he was killed in a car wreck, his wife was Lillian May Capler from Penna., and his dau. was Olive Doloris Anderson, born Mar. 31, 1940)
(a sunken grave)
- (3) Maggie N. HILL wife of C.J. Hill Aug. 15, 1871 - Oct. 21, 1895
"He took thee from a world of care,
In everlasting bliss to share"
(Margaret N.F. Dilley, died of TB, dau. of Jeremiah W. & Margaret R. McCarty Dilley, wife of Christopher Jonathan Hill)
(a sunken grave)
- (4) stone, no identification
(appears to be three sunken graves and the row swings around northwestward)

(the following first three graves are children of Alexander and Mary Oldham Morrison)

- (5) Allen MORRISON 1850 - 1861
- (6) Jemima MORRISON 1848 - 1861
- (7) Morgan MORRISON 1844 - 1859 (C.H. death rec. B. Mar. 25, 1841, D. Jan. 30, 1859, Friars Knob)
- (8) Alexandra MORRISON 1804 - 1859 (Alexander Morrison, born 1803, son of James Morrison & Elizabeth Callison)
- (9) Mary MORRISON 1807 - 1881 (nee Oldham, dau. of Wm. Oldham, wife of Alexander Morrison)
(a sunken grave)
- (10) Lydia MORRISON wife of William Morrison (nee McMillion)
Nov. 19, 1834 - Feb. 22, 1892
- (11) William MORRISON Apr. 27, 1836 - April 1, 1910 (husband of Lydia McMillion, son of Alexander Morrison & Mary Oldham)
(50 feet on to fence, looks like a sunken grave about 1/2 way)

Row 10 (this row starts about 50 feet from the fence)

- (1) Nancy J. (Jane) HILL Apr. 9, 1847 - July 9, 1931
"Our Mother has gone to be with Jesus"
(dau. of Thomas Morrison & Sarah A. Dearing, wife of Doctor Chaney Hill)
- (2) Doctor C. (Chaney) HILL Dec. 6, 1841 - Nov. 30, 1927
"We will meet again"
(son of Abraham Hill & Sarah "Sallie" Burr)
(space for two graves)
- (3) stone, no identification
(space for two graves)
- (4) stone, no identification
(about 125 feet to upper fence, no stones, may be graves)

Row 11 (row starts about 10 feet from the fence)

- (1) Lewis H. DAMERON July 10, 1885 - Dec. 20, 1941 (bro. of Lenma Page Dameron, Husband of Annie Hill, who is buried in the Kellison Cemetery in the Jacox neighborhood)
"An honest man's the noblest work of God"
(space for two graves)
- (2) Minnie V. wife of R. (Robert) C. CUTLIP Mar. 14, 1865 - Nov. 26, 1913 (Armina V., dau. of George Hill and Rebecca Cruikshanks)
"Here lies one who in this life was a kind mother, a true wife, She was by many virtues blest and piety among the best"
(there may be graves in the next 20 feet space)

- (3) Arline, daughter of J.W. & L.P. WICKLINE May 6, 1912 - June 5, 1913)

"Just when we learned to love her most,
God called her back to Heaven"

(James W. Wickline was from Monroe County and was a cousin of of the Rev. J.S. Wickline, his wife was Lemma Page Dameron and she remarried and is buried in Penna., the Wicklines lived at the Ed Cutlip place)

- (4) WICKLINE (a marble headstone only has that name on it, a foot stone has J.C.W., that would be for a son of James & Lemma, his name was James Clifford Wickline, he was in the Navy and was killed in a car accident while at home on leave probably in the 1940's)

(there may be graves in the next 20 feet space)

- (5) (double stone) Elizabeth EAGLE July 15, 1838 - June 27, 1924
(dau. of Morgan Anderson & Margaret Bruffey, middle initial J.)

- (6) Charles F. EAGLE Mar. 19, 1838 - May 19, 1927 (lived on Hills Ck.)

- (7) Enoch EAGLE died May 16, 1890, aged 12y, 11m, 20d (front of stone)
"A little bud of love, To bloom with God above"
(son of Charles F. Eagle & Elizabeth J. Anderson)

- (8) Mollie EAGLE died May 14, 1890, aged 18y, 11m, 7d (back of stone)
(dau. of Charles F. Eagle & Elizabeth J. Anderson)

- (9) Veda Ruth EAGLE Oct. 29, 1909 - June 14, 1911 (may be Vernon's child)

(space for one grave

- (10) Eula R. HILL Oct. 20, 1904 - Feb. 14, 1920
(dau. of Alpheus Wickline Hill & Jerome Eagle)

(10 feet to next marker)

- (11) Brenda Joyce, infant dau. of Ward & Irene HILL
Nov. 22, 1949 - Nov. 22, 1949
"Gone to be an angel"

(10 feet to upper fence)

Row 12 (row begins close to fence)

- (1) James Morgan MORRISON April 9, 1896 - April 17, 1916

"A light from our household is gone

A voice we loved is stilled

A place is vacant in our hearts

That never can be filled"

(son of Silas Morrison & Minerva Cruikshanks, a tree fell on him)

(a sunken grave, another one marked by creek stone, another 10 feet to next marker)

- (2) (double stone) C.M. ANDERSON Sept. 17, 1870 - Feb. 3, 1921
(Charles M. Anderson, son of John M. & Nancy A. Anderson, he was a teacher/preacher, he dismissed school at the old log school on Bruffeys Creek Feb. 22, 1908 to preach the funeral of Frances "Fannie" Jemima Hill Morgan at Emmanuel Church)

(9) V.V. son of F. (or E.) A. & M.E. HODGES May 16, 1912 - May 21, 1912 (son of Ed Hodges & Elizabeth Howard)

(10) Sallie RODGERS July 11, 1855 - Nov. 9, 1926 (Sallie Smith, dau. of John Smith & Sally Moore, married Robert Rodgers, lived at Buckeye Cove near Swago)
"With Christ in Heaven"

(space for one grave)

(11) Betty Jo Jan. 23, 1937 - June 2, 1937 (there is no last name on the stone, the mother of the child was Dessiree Elizabeth Harouff, the father was a CCC guy, Dessiree later married George Mason Roberts and lived in Charleston)

(there are probably no more graves in the next 15 feet to the fence)

Row 14 (25 feet from fence to first marker)

(1) and (2) (double stone) Infant children of A.L. & M.E. KERSHNER Feb. 25, 1904 - Mar. 6, 1904
Born & Died June 10, 1912

(children of Alonzo L. Kershner & Ettie McClure)

(probably no graves for next 20 ft, part of entranceway)

(3) Sallie A. wife of J.M. MC CLURE Apr. 11, 1841 - Oct. 21, 1905
"At Rest" (Sallie Anna Anderson, wife of James M. McClure)

(4) Willie A. wife of D. (Dickson) O. MORRISON died July 25, 1903 aged 31y, 10m, 19d (Willie was a sister of Ettie McClure, after the death of Willie, the family (father & children; Mason, Penny, and Odie (a girl) moved to West Fork, Arkansas for health reasons)
"Jesus died for me"

(space for one grave)

(5) Mary Lynn DEAN Apr. 29, 1937 - Sept. 5, 1937
(dau. of Grady Dean & Sylvia Huffman, Grady was bro. of Guy)
(40 feet to fence, probably no graves)

Row 15 (starts above entranceway)

(1) (double stone) Edith M. DEAN April 7, 1897 - Oct. 1, 1979
(her death date has not been cut into the stone, dau of George F. Alderman & Nevada Kellison, her second marriage to Harold Sawyers)

(2) Guy E. (Ellsworth) DEAN Oct. 27, 1893 - May 15, 1967
"Not our will, but Thine be done" (Guy, son of George & Nancy Dean)

(3) Harlan E. DEAN West Virginia PFC 7 INF 3 INF DIV
World War II November 16, 1921 - Mar. 3, 1944
(son of Guy Dean & Edith Alderman)

(4) Frances Marie, daughter of Guy & Edith DEAN Apr. 22, 1924 - Oct. 20, 1924
"Our Darling" (marble stone with carved angel on top)

(5) "Mother" Nancy R. DEAN (nee Morrison) Jan. 19, 1866 -
June 17, 1921
"Forever with the Lord"

(6) "Father" George H. (or W.) DEAN Apr. 3, 1871 - June 17, 1937
"May he rest in peace" (son of William M. & Caroline Dean)

Row 15 (only one grave near the western corner)

(1) Henry C. SPINKS June 7, 1901 - July 11, 1922
"How desolate our home bereft of thee"

(died of a ruptured appendix, raised on Hills Creek, husband
of Pearl Dean, she married second to Teddie Alderman and they
are buried in Mississippi)

Some people who are known to be buried in the Hill Cemetery that do not have markers.

- (1) Aaron Burr HILL June 7, 1829 - 1885 (son of Abraham Hill & Sarah "Sallie" Burr, husband of Miriam Jordan)
- (2) Miriam HILL June 7, 1828 - May 31, 1906 (dau. of John McNeel Jordan & Martha Burnsides, wife of Aaron B. Hill)
- (3) Anne CLUTTER June 25, 1814 - Feb. 3, 1859 (dau. of James Morrison & Elizabeth Callison, wife of Timothy Clutter who was in the Lunatic Asylum, Staunton, VA, at the time of her death)
- (4) George B. CLUTTER Born 1844 Died before 1860
- (5) Morgan B. CLUTTER Born 1848 Died before 1860
(sons of Timothy Clutter & Anne Morrison)

At her request the next, and probably last, person to be buried in the Hill Cemetery will be Lena MC CLINTIC (dau. of Guy Dean & Edith Alderman)

TED HILL

Theodore W. Hill, 79, son of Granville P. and Lydia Hill, was born Feb. 22, 1908 at Jacob W. V. He died Nov. 2, 1987, at the Kabul Nursing Home of Cabool, after a long illness.

When he was three months old, his parents moved their family from West Virginia to Missouri, settling on a farm near Houston. Mr. Hill resided there until he was called into the service. He served with the Army in the Army Air Force branch of ATC in the Pacific Zone.

He returned to Houston after his discharge from the Army. He was a custodian at the Houston Schools for many years until retirement.

He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers and one sister.

Surviving are one sister, Anna Wall, Houston; three brothers, George of Eldorado Springs, Carl of Champion, Neb., and John of Houston.

He was a member of the First Church of God of Houston. He was an active member of the Odd Fellows Lodge about 40 years and a member of the American Legion for 25 years.

Graveside services were Wed., Nov. 4, at the Pinelawn Cemetery with the Rev. Ervin Morton officiating under the direction of Evans Funeral Home.

So Long, Mr. Hill

To countless youngsters Ted Hill was a special person.

In his years as a custodian at the Houston Schools, Mr. Hill established a reputation for his kindness to children. A piece of candy, a pat on the head, learning children's names ... those were his trademarks.

Mr. Hill delighted in bringing elementary students into his janitor's closet. There youngsters would line up, and Mr. Hill would reach into his sack to pull out a piece of candy.

By the time of his retirement several years ago, many of the children he had befriended through the years had matured into young adults that never forgot the man.

Short in stature, he stood tall in the eyes of those
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he reached out to touch.

Mr. Hill died Monday at the age of 79 at the Kabul Nursing Home. His obituary appears on another page.

Additional Notes on Hill Cemetery

Row 3. #5 Doctor Casbolt - son of Renick B. Casbolt & Rachel Morrison (dau of Thomas & Sarah)

Row 4 #13 & 14 Isaac, William were sons of James & Elizabeth Morrison. They died young, born about 1824, 1825

Row 5 #18 & 19 Henry S. Casbolt & Susan Casbolt - parents of Renick Beard Casbolt who married Rachel Morrison

Row 6 #18 Rachel B. Morrison dau. of Elisha, grand dau. of James & Elizabeth Morrison